

# MINERS REJECT PAY CUT ASKED BY OPERATORS

## Would Mean Degradation of Workers and More Profits for "Monopoly," They Assert

## COMPANIES ASSAILED

## "Needless and Indefensible Profits" on Hard Coal Extracted From Public, They Charge

New York, May 25.—The bid of anthracite coal producers for a settlement of the eight weeks' old strike on a basis of wages cut 21 per cent was refused by representatives of the miners here tonight on the ground that "to accept would be to permit the degradation of the mine workers in order that the consumers of coal may continue to be unconscionably exploited to the amount of at least \$5 a ton by the anthracite monopoly."

The miners' reply was submitted to representatives of the operators at a secret conference of the joint subcommittee which has been attempting since March 15 to negotiate a new wage contract.

Charges are made by the miners in a 15-page statement that "needless and indefensible profits" on hard coal are extracted from the public through the operators' monopoly of the industry.

This monopoly, they allege, "arises from three sources and is in large measure based upon the view of the

"From the ownership of anthracite coal-carrying railroads, which control coal-producing companies mining four-fifths of the output of the mine and which, in order to obtain large but concealed profits for the monopoly and prevent competition from independent producers, have imposed grossly excessive freight rates on coal.

large operators of coal mining companies of separately-organized coal sales companies through which added heavy tribute is placed upon the distribution of coal."

"Your proposed wage reduction would not cause a drop in the price of coal," the miners' statement added.

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## ANTI-LYNCHING BILL

DRIVING INTO TROUBLED

## SENATE POSTPONES ACTION FOR TWO WEEKS TO ALLOW COMPROMISE TO BE WORKED OUT

reach a decision on the House anti-lynching bill, the Senate judicial committee today decided to postpone action for two weeks to give the Senate time to consult with the House leadership.

Senator Borah, Republican of Idaho, chairman of the subcommittee in charge of the bill, which was stated that the house bill was unconstitutional, was appointed to confer with Representative Dyer, Republican of Missouri, author of the house measure.

ure; Representative Volstead, Republican of Minnesota, chairman of the house committee, and other house members interested in the bill.

The suggestion for a substitute bill to meet the unconstitutional objection was said to be prominent in the committee's consideration. Republican leaders predicted that some compromise measure would be worked out.

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**DR. WIEFELT FORMALLY**

**RECEIVED BY PRESIDENT**

Washington, May 25. — Dr. O. Wiedefeld, the new German ambassador to the United States, was received formally this afternoon by President Harding when, accompanied by attaches of the embassy, he presented his credentials as envoy extraordinary of the German republic. He remained with the President only a few minutes. His reception mark-

# te Holiday ed by Treasury

If the commission could not lay rates in proportion to the value of the commodities and the earning power of the railroads it was evident that a readjustment of the entire rail structure of the country was needed.

Mr. Hoover added that instead of a ten per cent reduction in the rates on luxuries such as silk gowns, revenues received from such commodities might have been of more benefit if applied to the employment of railroad labor or the addition of new routes to the lines. He said

equipment to the lines. The work was appreciated, however, that the commission was faced with a mass technical difficulties in reaching



## HOW BERLIN GREETED DEMPSEY



Jack Dempsey was accorded a reception seldom given to a foreign visitor when he arrived in Berlin. The Zoological Garden station was jammed. Hats were waved and hundreds pressed forward to shake his hand.

## Baseball

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

## RAIN STOPS GAME AT TIE

Chicago and Cincinnati Play Eight Innings to 2-2 Score.

Cincinnati, May 25. — Chicago and Cincinnati played a tie game, 2-2, today, rain stopping the contest at the end of the eighth and preventing the second game of the scheduled double header. Both Donohue and Alexander were hit freely but were effective with men on bases. Double headers will be played both tomorrow and Saturday.

R H E  
Chicago . . . 6 10 0 0 100—2 8 0  
Cincinnati . . . 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—2 7 1

Batteries — Alexander and Hartnett; Donohue and Pinelli.

## ROBINS TAKE DOUBLE BILL

Pitcher Hubbell Receives Fractured Skull Soon After Play Begins.

Philadelphia, May 25. — Brooklyn took both ends of the first double header of the season here from Philadelphia today, 8 to 7 and 9 to 6. The defeat marked the local ninth straight setback. Wilbur Hubbell, local pitcher, received a fractured skull in the first inning of the opening game when he was hit on the head by T. Griffith's drive. He was taken to a hospital, where his condition is considered serious.

Score, first game:  
Brooklyn . . . 12 10 0 0 200—8 13 0  
Philadelphia . . . 7 14 1 1 101—7 14 2

Batteries — Grimes, S. Smith and DeBerry; Hubbell, Winters and Henline.

## PITTSBURGH DEFEATS CARDS.

Fifth Straight Beating for St. Louis; Hornsby Gets Tenth Homer.

St. Louis, May 25. — Pittsburgh defeated the Cardinals by 7 to 3 today before Commissioner Landis, who threw the first ball. It was the local fifth straight defeat. Hornsby registered his tenth home run. He is now two behind Kenneth Williams of the St. Louis Americans and nine ahead of Babe Ruth. Eddie Ainsmith, Cardinal catcher, made his seventh home run.

Pittsburgh . . . 3 0 1 2 0 0 0 1—7 9 0  
St. Louis . . . 1 1 0 0 1 0 0—3 7 0

Batteries — Glazner and Gooch, Sherdel, North, Bailey, Walker and Ainsmith.

## Only three scheduled.

## COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Newark, N. J.—Holy Cross, 7; Seton Hall, 3.

At New Haven—Boston College, 11; Yale, 7.

At Burlington, Vt.—Vermont, 8; Norwich, 5.

At Easton, Pa.—Lafayette, 12; Catholic U., 6.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

## YANKS WIN EXCITING GAME.

Mussey Hits Two Homers—Two Others Account for Washington Runs.

New York, May 25. — New York divided a short series with Washington here today, winning a tumultuous game by a score of 6 to 4. Mussey hit two home runs for New York while home runs by Rice and Judge accounted for all of Washington's runs. Hoyt pitched well for New York. Fewster and Rice made sensational catches.

R H E  
Washington . . . 1 0 0 0 3 0 0—4 6 0  
New York . . . 2 0 0 2 0 1 0—6 11 2

Batteries—Phillips, Brillheart and Gharrihy; Hoyt and Schang.

## DETROIT DOWNS INDIANS.

Philleto Holds Cleveland to Five Hits—Helmhorn Gets Seventh Homer.

Detroit, May 25. — Consistent hitting behind Philleto, who held Cleveland to five safeties, gave Detroit a 7 to 3 victory over the Indians in the opening game of the series here today.

Philleto's home run in the second inning with Veach on base was his seventh of the season and the third in two days.

Score, first game:  
Cleveland . . . 0 0 0 0 1 2 0—3 5 1  
Detroit . . . 0 2 0 0 1 2 9—7 11 1

Batteries — Coveleskie, Lindsey, Keefe and O'Neill; Philleto and Bassler.

Philadelphia at Boston, wet grounds.

## Only three scheduled.

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Jersey City, 7; Baltimore, 8. Newark, 0; Reading, 2. Syracuse, 5; Toronto, 4.

## EASTERN LEAGUE

Albany, 4; Waterbury, 8. Others postponed, rain.

## TODAY'S SCHEDULE

National League.  
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.  
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Cincinnati.  
Boston at New York.

American League.  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Cleveland at Detroit.  
Philadelphia at Boston.

Only three scheduled.

Auction.  
Friday, May 26, at 1 p. m. sharp 40 head of horses, consisting of a carload of western and native; one Oakland, five passenger touring car, good condition; other personal property too numerous to mention. Main Street Auction Stables, 166½ Main street. Advt. 31.

## ATHLETES OF EAST AND WEST CLASH TODAY AT HARVARD

Leland Stanford, California, Cornell and Princeton Considered Serious Contenders for Inter-Collegiate Championship

(By the Associated Press)

Boston, May 25. — Athletes of the East and of the West, representatives of 30 colleges, were camped tonight within a few miles of the Harvard Stadium, where tomorrow the annual Inter-Collegiate championship games will begin. Among the institutions represented by teams were University of California, Leland Stanford University, Cornell, University of Pennsylvania, Princeton, Syracuse, Bowdoin, Dartmouth, Bates, Colgate, Columbia, Pittsburgh, Georgetown, and Lafayette. Although some of the athletes had work outs on the other tracks, none went on the cinders of the stadium, which were being groomed for the test of tomorrow. Showers in the afternoon helped to prepare the track for fast time.

Most of the teams were gathered at the New Ocean house at Swampscott. In their discussion it was agreed that the contest for the college championship would be close and that at least four colleges were to be considered serious contenders. These are Leland Stanford, California, Princeton and Cornell, with an inner rivalry between the two Pacific coast teams because of the tie result of their recent dual meet.

Jack Mackley, Cornell coach, said it looked as if the title lay between the two California colleges, with the Tigers and the Bears having an outside chance to come through on top. Walter Christie, California's mentor, said he felt confident that the team was as good as that which won the championship for the Californians last year and that it was the best-balanced team in the present meeting.

A few details of disposition of athletes proficient in more than one event trickled out of the coaches' discussions. Allen Woodring, Syracuse sprinting star, will continue his efforts to the 100 and 220 yard dashes. Coach Tom Keene said, although he has been regarded as probable winner of the quarter mile Hartrant, Stanford's young giant, will not go on the track at all because of a slightly strained tendon. Jack Merchant, California's all-around star, will compete in the broad jump, the shot-put and the hammer and possibly the discus and javelin. It was still uncertain how much of the eight-event program for which S. Harrison Thomson, Princeton star, who is the amateur world champion, has been entered would be fulfilled. He said, however, that he regarded the high hurdles as the only one event at all exerting and that probably he would take a fling at most of them.

## MEET GENERALS SATURDAY

Susquehanna Division Ball Team Plays at Watervliet Saturday Afternoon and at Hudson Falls Sunday Afternoon.

On Saturday morning, at 9 15 o'clock, the members of the Susquehanna division baseball team, together with a goodly company of rooters, will embark on train 305, to which extra coaches will be attached, for Watervliet, where it is expected here, at 1 30 p. m. they will meet the Generals, the headquarters team of the D. & H. system, for the first game between these nines this season.

The Generals are reported to be saving their star twirler and their best hitters for this particular game. They still recall the last game of last season, when the Susquehanna division boys took their measure and refused to give them another game that season. They are bent on securing satisfaction in this opening game, and the local aggregation are as equally determined to show their ability to win from the Generals.

It is expected that the game will be finished in time for those accompanying the team to Watervliet to return on train 308, to which extra coaches will be attached and which it is expected will halt at Watervliet to take on the supporters after the game.

## To Travel in Pullman.

Members of the team will find a Pullman sleeping car placed at their disposal, and for the night in which they will travel to Hudson Falls Sunday morning, where they will play the strong team representing that village, of which "Lefty" Stone is the star player.

Speaking of the experience of being transported in a Pullman car to other points to play baseball, one of the members of the team the other day declared that he could not help contrasting conditions with his experiences in other days.

As a boy he commenced playing

## UNCERTAIN SESSION ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Market Drifts More or Less Aimlessly, With Even Distribution of Gains and Losses

New York, May 25. — The stock market drifted more or less aimlessly during the greater part of today's uncertain session, with an almost even distribution of gains and losses. Dealings were relatively light, save in the first and last hours, and transactions approximating 1,050,000 shares.

Speculative interests apparently extracted less comfort from the freight rate reductions ordered by the Interstate Commerce commission, railroad shares, other than transportation or junior issues, denoting increased selling pressure. News affecting the transportation systems was favorable, however, including increased car loadings and a large gain in April net earnings by Southern Pacific. Thus was accomplished almost entirely at the expense of operating costs.

Steels were sold as a result of advice which indicated indefinite delay in the promotion of mergers, and kindred issues eased in sympathy, motors and equipment showing similar tendencies with leaders of the metals.

Strength of Liberty issues, five of which sold at par or better, and an increased demand for underlying or speculative rails were the outstanding features of today's bond market, the list otherwise retaining its recent irregular characteristics.

The more important foreign loans, including British and French, moved within contracted limits, and Mexican 4s and 5s and Copenhagen 5½s were slightly lower.

The convertible rising over three points. Issues of the investment rails, including Union Pacific, Seaboard, Baltimore and Ohio, and Southern Railway, gave way to moderate selling.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal . . .	49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2
Am Chem . . .	72	72 1/2	71 1/2	72
Am Can . . .	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Am C and F . . .	163	163	163	163
Am Ice . . .	109 1/2	111 1/2	109 1/2	111 1/2
Am Inter . . .	48 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Am Loco . . .	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Am S F . . .	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Am Smelt . . .	65 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
Am St . . .	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Am Sum . . .	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
A T and T . . .	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Am Tob . . .	143	143	143	143
Am Wool . . .	92	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Anacosta . . .	55	55 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
Asso Oil . . .	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
Atchafalca . . .	100	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Cal Pac . . .	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Bald Loco . . .	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Balt and O . . .	48 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Barns A . . .	49 1/2	49 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Beth S B . . .	78 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
B R T . . .	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Burns B . . .	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2
Butte and S . . .	32 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Can Pac . . .	142 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/2
Can Pac . . .	142 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/2
C de Pasco . . .	39 1/2	40	39 1/2	39 1/2
Cen Leath . . .	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
C O . . .	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
C M & S P . . .	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Chan Mo . . .	75	75 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Chino . . .	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Columbia . . .	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Cosden . . .	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Col Gas . . .	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Com Tab . . .	70 1/2	71	69 1/2	69 1/2
Con Gas . . .	117 1/2	117 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Corn Prod . . .	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Cruible St . . .	75 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Cuba Can S . . .	182 1/2	182 1/2	182 1/2	182 1/2
Erie . . .	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Famous P . . .	83 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Fisk Tire . . .	184 1/2	184 1/2	184 1/2	184 1/2
Gen Elec . . .	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Gen Mo . . .	148 1/2	148 1/2	148 1/2	148 1/2
Goodrich . . .	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Gt Nor pfd . . .	77 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
do ord et . . .	408	408	408	408
Gen Wash . . .	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Guil S St . . .	87 1/2	87 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Ins Cop . . .	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Hupp Mo . . .	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Int Con . . .	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
do pfd . . .	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Int Pap . . .	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2
I M M . . .	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Keystone . . .	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Invincible . . .	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Int Nickel . . .	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Freeport . . .	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
K C South . . .	27 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Killy S Tire . . .	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Ken Cop . . .	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Keystone . . .	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Lk Steel . . .	77 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Lehigh V . . .	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Stack Tr . . .	49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Mx Ptr . . .	134 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Midvale . . .	42 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Miami . . .	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Mo Pac . . .	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
M S Oil . . .	15 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Nat En . . .	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
N Y C . . .	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
N Y N H . . .	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Nev Con . . .	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Nt and W . . .	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
No Am . . .	63 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2

with teams in nearby villages and instead of travelling on Pullmans provided by the railroad company, the members of the team with which he played had to board a passing freight or beat their way as best they could to Schenectady or Unadilla for the game. Occasionally they could muster enough cash between all the players with which to hire a carryall. More often, however, they hiked it to Danamoor Center or Milford, and after playing nine innings hiked back home, going to bed tired, but to sleep far better than the boys will Sunday night on the Pullman, despite its luxurious furnishings.

## STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	Won	Lost	P.C.
National League.			
New York . . .	21	12	.636
Pittsburgh . . .	20	12	.625
St. Louis . . .	19	17	.528
Chicago . . .	18	19	.486
Cincinnati . . .	17	18	.486
Brooklyn . . .	12	19	.387
Boston . . .	11	21	.344
Philadelphia . . .	11	21	.344
American League.			
New York . . .	25	14	.641
St. Louis . . .	21	14	.600
Detroit . . .	18	17	.514
Philadelphia . . .	16	17	.485
Cleveland . . .	17	20	.459
Boston . . .	14	20	.410
Washington . . .	17	21	.447
Chicago . . .	13	21	.382

## Up in the Air



Lady Beaverbrook at an exciting juncture of the tennis tournament at Hurlingham, England. Suzanne Lenglen and Mrs. Beamish, British tennis expert, took part.

No Pac . . .	76 1/2	77	76 1/2	77
Ont West . . .	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Pac Oil . . .	64 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Pan Am Pt . . .	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Penn . . .	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Penn A B . . .	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Penn S St . . .	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2
Pier Oil . . .	10 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Pier Ar . . .	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Pitt W Va . . .	35 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Pure Oil . . .	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Ray Con . . .	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Reading . . .	80 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Rep T S . . .	76 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Rocky Mt . . .	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Rk Island . . .	45 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Ry Du N Y . . .	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Sears Rbk . . .	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Sin Oil . . .	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
So Pac . . .	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
So Ry . . .	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
S O N J pfd . . .	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	1



## Handless Merchant's Invention



Samuel Hill, handless Tacoma cigar dealer, has invented this machine to make change rapidly. Besides, he shaves, dresses and drives an automobile. He won't use artificial hands.

## Otsego County News

### SCHUYLER LAKE EVENTS

Masonic Dance Great Success—Schools Hold Field Day June 2.

Schuyler Lake, May 25.—The public dance held in Bullion's hall last Friday evening under the auspices of the Masonic lodge of this place was very well attended. Eighty numbers were sold and the crowd was not too large for comfortable dancing. A light supper was served at midnight. Altogether, over 150 dance tickets were sold, but many of the purchasers did not attend. The gross receipts were nearly \$200, which after expenses are paid, will leave a goodly sum toward the lodge's quota of the building fund of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial hospital at Utica.

It must be acknowledged that the success of this event could not have been achieved without the loyal cooperation of the members of the lodge and its friends in this community. All report a very pleasant evening and many have expressed themselves as hopeful that this Masonic dance may be made an annual event.

### Second Annual Field Day.

The second annual field day of the schools of the town of Exeter will be held on the school grounds on June second. Plans are being made to make this a great day for this community. Athletic exercises will take place at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; a community dinner will be served at noon; and the regular program will follow after dinner. One of the features of the day's entertainment will be a baseball game. Everybody is

cordially invited. Come and prepare to stay all day.

### People You Know.

Mrs. Olcott Fay and little niece, Esther Schaub, spent the week-end with relatives in Utica.—Mrs. George Cushman and Mrs. Willard Stanton spent the first of the week on business rounds at Maryland.—Mrs. Harry Robbins and daughter, Janette, and her mother, Mrs. Helen Light of Richfield Springs, called on the latter's daughter, Mrs. Everett Hotelling here Wednesday. Mrs. Light's many friends here are glad to learn that she is able to be out after her serious illness.—J. K. Allen and Mr. Slocum of Frankfort were callers at Fayette Allen's Tuesday night.

### "OAK FARM" AT SCHENEVUS.

Comedy Drama to Be Given June 9—Hose Company Elects Members.

Schenevus, May 25.—The comedy drama "Oak Farm," recently given by the Hartwick Seminary Dramatic club to a good sized audience at the Oneonta theatre, will be given by the same club for the benefit of Manahoe lodge, I. O. O. F., at Chase & Bennett hall on Friday evening, June 9. The Odd Fellows desire to improve the Gurney property recently purchased by them, and are using this method to raise part of the funds necessary. A liberal patronage of the people of the community is accordingly solicited.

### Auto Club Dues.

The 1922 dues for the Schenevus Automobile club may be paid to the secretary, Leo B. Bennett, and the emblems procured at the post office. Every motorist should help to protect their own interests by joining some club. Let's go and make this the banner year of the Schenevus Automobile club.

### Assessment Roll Completed.

The assessment roll of the village of Schenevus is completed and now is in the hands of the collector, Lillian Young Therson. Taxes may be paid at the one per cent rate at the home of the collector on Monitor street on any of the following dates: June 3, 5, 8, 9, 12, 14.

### Hose Company Meets.

At the special meeting of the C. H. Graham Hose company, held at their rooms in the Hose company building Wednesday evening, the following were elected to membership: Active fireman, Fred Schiller and Alvin Dorst; auxiliary member, Oliver Oltman. Committees on construction and by-laws for a fireman's club and purchase of pool and card tables, reported progress. After the meeting the members adjourned to the Hotel Potter and partook of a most enjoyable banquet.

### SUNDAY MORRIS MATTERS.

Churches of Village Unite in Memorial Service Sunday Evening.

Morris, May 25.—The churches and community of Morris will unite in a patriotic service to be held next Sunday evening in the Methodist Episcopal church. A suitable order of service has been prepared in which all the pastors of the village, and the church choir will participate. The responsive reading will be led by Rev. F. J. W. Chubb of the Baptist church, the Scripture reading will be by Rev. E. D. Hutchinson of Zion Episcopal church, prayer by Rev. F. G. Leonard of the Universalist church and the

address of the day by Rev. Charles Young of the Methodist Episcopal church. It is hoped that every loyal resident of Morris will be present.

### Will Serve Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will serve dinner and hold its annual sale of fancy goods on Memorial day.

### Officers of Zion Church Auxiliary.

At the last meeting of the auxiliary of Zion Protestant Episcopal church Mrs. Bridges was elected president, Mrs. Carrick vice-president, Mrs. Ripley secretary and Miss Washburn treasurer. A goodly balance in the treasury was voted to General Missions and the General Thank offering. An interesting paper by Mrs. Howard Sloan, entitled, "Three Hundred Years of Church History" was a feature of the evening.

### LITTLE LENA LOCALS.

Lena, May 25.—Miss Eliza Jacobs is ill at her home and under the care of Dr. Schoorcraft.—Mrs. Dell Rockwell is driving a new car.—Mrs. Emogene Gregory, who had been spending the past month at the home of Chester Harrington, left Tuesday for Chase, where she will sojourn at the home of Morris Chase.—Mr. and Mrs. Jay Potter attended the funeral of Mrs. Martha Burdick at Fly Creek, last Monday.—Jasper Foster of Hartwick was the week-end guest of James Balcorn.—Mrs. Cora Mosse of Nobleville and Cleveland Salisbury of South Hartwick were guests Wednesday at the home of Andrew Salisbury.—Mrs. Glenn Balcorn, Mrs. D. Gregory, Mrs. Frank Gregory and Mrs. Claude Talbot attended the Home Economics meeting held at Hartwick Wednesday.—The Economics club will hold a social at the local grange hall Friday evening. Each lady bring box of food for two, with her name inside the box.—The condition of J. R. Thompson is little improved.

## Delaware County News

### DELIH AND DELAWARE.

County Sanitarium to Purchase Radio Outfit—News of the Village.

Delhi, May 25.—The response to the radio fund of the Delaware county sanitarium has been quite gratifying, not alone in the financial response but also by the many expressions of good will, and the spirit of cooperation manifested is encouraging.

The returns are still coming in and the managers have reason to feel that they will meet with success. There are many sections that have not been heard from as yet.

Mrs. Frank Farrington, assisted by Mrs. Palmeter, Miss Weaver and Raymond Jefferson, gave a most enjoyable entertainment last week, that was much appreciated by the 23 patients.

Religious services were held Sunday afternoon by Rev. S. A. Tamblyn of West Delhi and Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Hewitt of Andes.

### Mrs. Wilson Improving.

Mrs. Ellsworth Wilson, who has been seriously ill with grip and kidney trouble for nearly two weeks, is now able to sit up a little. She was presented a basket of assorted fruits by the Plus Ultra class of the Baptist Sunday school, which generous gift she is enjoying.

### Miss Murray Returns.

Miss Norleide Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Murray, arrived home Wednesday from Washington, D. C., where she had been employed as secretary to Congressman Clarke. She expects to sail next month for Europe and will visit the British Isles, Belgium, Holland, France and Switzerland, making the trip in company with Mrs. C. S. McCready of Providence, R. I.

### Personal Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Winter of Margaretsville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Birdsall.—Mrs. J. D. Smith is entertaining her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Benedict of Binghamton, who will be her guest until after Memorial day.—Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wright are enjoying a motor trip through Southern Canada and will visit their son, Charles Wright and family at Canton, N. Y., while away.

### Gives Up Her Studies.

Miss Blanche Martin has been compelled to give up her studies at William Smith college, Geneva, for the remainder of the college year, owing to serious eye trouble, which is thought to be caused by her tonsils being out of condition. She went to Binghamton Wednesday to see Dr. Watson, a eye specialist, again. She will have her tonsils removed.

### Poster Prize Winners.

In the Delaware County Health Poster contest 78 posters were sent in by the school children of the county and 10 prizes were awarded, the first being \$5, and the total \$32.

The prize winners in their order were: Clinton Sprague, Trout Creek; Leona Hayes, Davenport; Loei Crawford, Trout Creek; Florence Griswold, Delhi; Lewis Baker, Walton; Clarence Gabriel, Sidney Center; Martha Reynolds, Walton; Gertrude Schoemaker, Walton; Emma McCabe, Walton; Paul Carroll, Walton.

### WEST DAVENPORT.

West Davenport, May 25.—The Ladies' circle of the Baptist church will meet Saturday for dinner at the home of Mrs. Frank McDougall.—Word has been received here that Mrs. Celia Moak is in a very critical condition, as the result of a shock, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Rexford, near Earlville.—The Misses Leta Adeo and Agnes Wistrand have been chosen as delegates to attend the Sunday school convention to be held in Franklin, June 2 and 3.—Mr. Birdsall has moved here from Sidney and rented T. R. Oles' farm. Mr. Oles retaining living rooms upstairs.

### DINNER AND GUN SHOOT.

North Franklin Fish and Game Club Contest Saturday of This Week. North Franklin, May 25.—The Fish and Game club are holding an all-day shoot on Saturday, May 27. The

### UP THE OTEGO VALLEY.

Rev. D. G. Kershaw of Garrattsville Addresses Mt. Vision Meetings.

Mt. Vision, May 25.—Rev. Don G. Henshaw of Garrattsville will address young people's meeting this (Friday) evening at the Methodist Episcopal church.

Sunday evening there will be a union memorial service at the Methodist church. Rev. A. N. Denney will be the preacher.

### Nurses in Brooklyn.

Misses Rubena Ackley and Helene Barney have secured positions as nurses in a hospital in Brooklyn and begin their duties next Monday.

### WESTFORD MEETINGS.

Westford, May 25.—Sunday morning Memorial services will be held at the Methodist church and the members of the Sunday school will march to the cemetery to decorate the graves of soldiers.—The Young Peoples' meeting will be held Sunday at 7 p. m. and preaching service at 8 p. m. The ladies of the Baptist church will serve supper in the church parlors Tuesday evening, May 30th. A play will be given by the Guild girls. Supper from 6:30 until all are served. Price 25 cents.

Laurens Dairymen's League to Meet. There will be a meeting of the Dairymen's league in the Laurens milk station Saturday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of electing delegates to the annual meeting and the discussion of other important matters which come before the meeting.

### Will Speak at Laurens Tonight.

Laurens, May 25.—C. L. Yoder, a returned missionary from South America, and Dr. B. M. Johns will speak in the Methodist church on Friday evening of this week. All are invited.

## Moire Back



There's a sudden vogue for moire. Moire that's soft and lovely and satin-backed. It's shown in all the season's brilliant high colors with watered markings of various patterns.

## EAMONN DE VALERA IS PROUD PAPA OF TWINS

Dublin, May 24.—Mrs. Eamonn deValera, wife of the Republican party leader, today gave birth to twin boys, and Mrs. Charles Burgess, wife of the former minister of defense in Mr. deValera's cabinet, and a prominent opponent of the Anglo-Irish treaty, gave birth to a daughter. Both fathers were profusely congratulated by their political adherents, who pointed out this happy coincidence as coming so soon after the agreement reached between the two Irish political factions.

### PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHERS

Rochester, May 25.—The Professional Photographers' society of New York elected the following officers at the concluding session of the state convention here yesterday: President, Carl Frey, Utica; vice president, John E. Garabrant, New York; secretary, Fred Abbott, Little Falls; treasurer, Seward A. Sands, Lockport.

It was announced that next year's convention will be held at Utica.

### Sakes Alive!

"I'm glad I read Dickens," remarked the caustic lady, "because he has given us so many villainous characters to whom we can compare people we dislike."—Boston Transcript.

### However, Most Men Do.

When a girl puts a flower on a man's coat she always tilts her chin up and looks at it sideways—and the man who doesn't take a tumble is too slow to lead a funeral procession.

### Missouri Wisdom.

When a man's wife asks him a question in a voice that reveals off on a high key he knows that she knows the answer without his replying.—Mexico Ledger.

### Who Called Her a Patient?

A New York woman horsewhipped her dentist because she did not like the work he did for her. A patient out of patience as it were.

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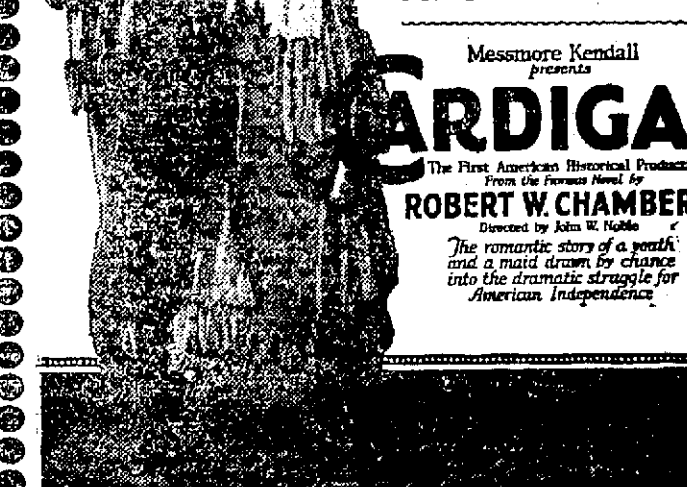
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(In 302 working days of eight hours each)

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Every minute . . . .	630.38	657.00	26.62
Every hour . . . . .	37,822.81	39,420.22	1,597.41
Every day . . . . .	302,582.45	315,361.72	12,779.27
Every week . . . . .	1,757,395.75	1,831,523.82	74,218.07
Every month . . . . .	7,611,991.57	7,936,603.28	324,611.66
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## SUMMER MILITARY CAMPS

Today of this week Governor Miller of New York received a telegram from President Harding at Washington, in which the latter said: "Apparently all agree that every young man who is willing to prepare himself for the defense of his country should be given the opportunity. To this end I suggest that you bring to the attention of the citizens of your state the opportunity now presented to them by the Citizens' Military Training camps which will be conducted during the coming summer. Without any cost or military obligation to themselves, the young men accepted for these camps will be given training which will be of inestimable value through the physical and mental development received and which will unquestionably increase their value to the nation and to the communities in which they live."

There are six different courses of instruction given with training camps above referred to, and the young men who apply can have their choice with in the limits of the accommodations provided by the camps. They are: Infantry at Plattsburg Barracks, cavalry and engineers at Camp Dix, N. J., coast artillery at Fort Hancock, N. J., signal corps at Camp Alfred Vail, N. J., and field artillery yet to be announced. There is yet opportunity for young men desiring to take up these courses.

These camps are conducted by the War Department under the National Defense act, which is the basic law for the army of the United States which consists of the regular army, the national guard and organized reserves. The government pays the expenses of those attending, including transportation to and from camp, uniforms, food and medical attendance. The object of these camps is to bring together young men of high type from all sections of the country on a common basis of equality and under the most favorable conditions of outdoor life; to stimulate and promote citizenship, patriotism and Americanism; and through expert physical training, athletic coaching and military training, to benefit the young men individually and bring them to realize their obligations to their country.

Three courses of instruction are offered in these training camps, known respectively as the Red, White and Blue. The lowest is the Red course, for applicants between 17 and 25 years of age, and provides basic military training with a view to qualifying men for service in the organized reserves. The age limits in the white course are from 18 to 25 years and gives advanced training with a view to qualifying as privates in the regular army and as specialists and non-commissioned officers in the reserve. The blue course has age limits from 19 to 27 and requires a high school education or its equivalent as a minimum. Its purpose is to supply specialists and non-commissioned officers for the regular army, national guard and organized reserves. Civilians designated for this course must have had prior military training equivalent to that given in the Red and White courses. For men with previous military service the age limit is 35 years. Additional information will be given on application to the address above given. The opportunity which these courses of instruction gives is exceptional. Not only will excellent military, educational and physical training be given, but the candidates accepted will have opportunity, particularly in the Plattsburg barracks, to spend the summer in a region of rare scenic beauty at the northern gateway of the Adirondacks. Whoever has in mind taking this training should make application at once, as the list of possible students will doubtless soon be filled.

## MOWERS WANTS DAMAGES.

Sustained, He Alleges, When Bridge Over Decatur Creek Collapsed.

Owen C. Mowers, who resides in the Carroll place in the lot near the Galor residence on the Decatur road, has filed claim with the town clerk and supervisor, against the town of Worcester for \$300 damages. The claim is for damages received by the collapsing of the bridge over the Decatur creek near his home. The claim states "that on or about Feb. 23, in the evening this claimant was traveling over said bridge and a horse going toward his home and did enter upon said bridge with his horse when said bridge went down into the creek and as a result this claimant was injured and bruised and the said horse was injured, damaged and rendered of no value." The matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the town board. It is expected that the town board cannot do anything with the claim as the County attorney and the County Superintendent of Highways have directed the board not to repair the bridge or have anything to do with the matter as the road is not a town highway and it is not up to the town to make repairs. This is the fifth claim for damages that has been filed against the town thus far this year. As yet only one of these has been settled. [Worcester Times.]

## New School Building.

Bids have been received for the construction of a four-room school building in Harpersville, Broome county, at a cost of \$20,000. The building will include a gymnasium, play room and library.

## Adulterated.

"I understand you became intoxicated at the banquet."  
"No, I didn't. The flesh was willing, but the spirits were weak."—[New York Sun.]

## PRESS AND PUBLIC OPINION

Mars Coming to Visit.

Announcement by the astronomical society of France that the planet Mars is on the way to visit the earth supplies some phases of the activity in physical sciences and the speed of huge bodies which aviators will appreciate. Men who consider commonplace a pace of from 100 to 200 miles per hour through the air must give the sportsman's admiration to Mars, rolling along at a speed of 275,000 miles per day, according to the mathematical statisticians of the French astronomical society. But the relativity does not stop there, for what the astronomers call "a visit" to the earth is only a visiting position, comparatively, for when Mars reaches his nearest point to our planet, June 18, he will be 40,000,000 miles away. [Pittsburgh Dispatch.]

## Soviet Second Thought.

Since the close of the Genoa conference, a certain useful air seems to be noticeable in Russian officials. They first acted like men who had scored a great success. They had been received as equals by England and France. They had enjoyed a wonderful opportunity for notoriety and for propaganda and had made use of it to the full. Yet, after a brief period of congratulating themselves, they appear to have begun to look around to discover what concrete gains they had won. And they evidently find them precious few. [New York Times.]

## The Marble Championship.

The Greater New York marble championship now rests in Nicky Markoff, 13 years old, of Second avenue. At the City Hall, Mayor Hylan turned from cues of office to pin a gold medal upon Nicky's chest, and to bestow a silver medal upon George Lyons, who won second place in a contest upon a ring made upon a shallow box of clay set in front of the City Hall steps. There Nicky won the right to stand forth for his fair play in contests at Philadelphia and perhaps elsewhere. [New York Tribune.]

## Naming the New Bridge.

Springfield, Mass., is hesitating whether to christen its new Connecticut river bridge, the "One Hundred and Fourth," in honor of the A. B. F. Fynchon, after William Fynchon, first English settler, or "Hamden," for the country whose eastern and western halves it connects. New York has done well with the sensible and appropriate names of its East river bridges, and Springfield, if the choice is limited to the three suggested, has a much easier task. [Brooklyn Standard Union.]

## Alaskan Railroad Nears Completion.

Completion of the Alaska railroad is in sight, and the postoffice department has signed a contract for carrying the mails from Seward to Fairbanks, and along several branches, "twice a week each way and as much often as trains may run," for 13 months from June 1. The indefiniteness of the schedules may be an additional attraction to the tourist eager to get away from civilization. [Springfield Republican.]

## Overwork.

It is usually the lazy who have much to say about how overworked they are. Their concern is divided between temperature and blood pressure, and their woes and fears about themselves are the happy pastures of fashionable doctors. But those whom a passion of service consumes somehow manage to put ahead, held up by the hands, and cover the ground that is left them by the hypochondriacs. [Philadelphia Ledger.]

## Germany and Poland Get Together.

Public attention was so exclusively attracted to the Genoa conference during the whole of last week that the announced negotiation of a German-Polish treaty covering the situation created by the partition of Silesia attracted very little notice. It was, however, an incident of serious importance and of an extremely encouraging significance. [Philadelphia Inquirer.]

## Lady Astor's Useless Pica.

Lady Astor was found by Americans to be a very gracious and pleasing lady who made a remarkable impression upon her visit to the land of her birth, but she should have understood when she came here that the League of Nations is a closed incident, and that asking the country to reconsider its decision is a waste of breath. [Scranton Republican.]

## Reminded Him of Home.

The burglar entered the house as quietly as possible, but his shoes were not padded and they made some noise. He had just reached the door of the bedroom when he heard someone moving in the bed, as if about to get up, and he paused. The sound of a woman's voice floated to his ears. "If you don't take off your boots when you come into the house," she said, "there's going to be trouble, and a lot of it. Here it's been raining for three hours, and you dare to tramp over carpets with your muddy boots on. Go downstairs and take them off this minute."

He went down stairs without a word, but he didn't take off his boots. Instead he went straight out into the night again, and the pal who was waiting for him saw a tear glisten in his eyes. "I just can't bear to rob that house," he said. "It reminds me of home." [The Pittsburgh Dispatch.]

## Group Meeting at Cooperstown.

The group meeting for the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church for this section of Oneonta district will be held at Cooperstown, May 28th, with a morning and afternoon session. In the afternoon Miss Laura White of Shanghai, China, will be the speaker. Several conference officers will be present. Lunch will be served for 35 cents. A full report from each auxiliary since September is requested. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

In addition to the Cooperstown meeting, there will be another at Guilford on Thursday and at Afton on Friday.

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## BEGINNING TO SPUTTER



## PELLETIER NOT WANTED

New York State Council, K. of C., De-  
mands His Removal as Supreme Ad-  
vocate—Dr. Coyle Re-Elected State  
Deputy.

The removal of Joseph C. Pelletier of Boston as supreme advocate of the Knights of Columbus is demanded in a resolution adopted at the closing session of the New York state council at Oswego Wednesday. Pelletier, who was removed from the office of district attorney of Suffolk county, Mass., on charges of malfeasance and misfeasance, had been defended by certain other supreme officers, and the resolution adopted at Oswego provided that James A. Flaherty, supreme knight, and John B. Kennedy, editor of the "Columbian," be censured for publicity given the Pelletier case. Delegates to the national supreme council session in Atlantic City during the week of Aug. 1 were instructed to present the resolution.

Dr. John G. Coyle of New York was re-elected state deputy over Daniel A. Tobin of Brooklyn. The vote was 207 to 192. Other officers elected were: State secretary, John T. Kenney; Johnstown; treasurer, Joseph H. Halpin; Yonkers; state warden, Robert J. Walker; Albany; state advocate, John J. Crowley; Elmira; delegates to national convention, John J. Fay, Troy; James H. Cleary, Watertown; Thomas F. Gunning, Newburg; Nicholas J. Healy, New York; John J. McInerney, Rochester; Richard L. Fallon, New Rochelle; Maurice A. Conway the Bronx, and William F. Taylor, Oswego.

The state council passed resolutions endorsing the American Legion plan of adjusted compensation for veterans, and recommended that the supreme council establish two tuberculosis hospitals.

Grand Knight David A. Devine and Past Grand Knight F. P. McCloskey were delegates of the Oneonta council at the convention.

## Real Estate Transfer.

Edward Harrington has sold his home at number 3 East street to Edward Burger of Cory avenue, Mr. Burger to have possession June 1st. The sale was made by A. R. Sullivan of the Square Deal Farm agency.

## A Home for the Summer.

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## TWENTY AND THIRTY YEARS AGO

Days of Old Recalled by Items Clipped from The Star Files.

May 26, 1902.

Drown's band has been engaged to play Decoration day.

George Wohlleben, one of the most industrious students at the Normal school, has received the agency for a new book, "Aims and Objects of Life," subscriptions to which he will solicit, mostly during the holidays.

Parker Wilson and L. H. Blend returned from Albany last evening and brought the intelligence that Lewis and Wilson had been awarded the contract for the new D. & H. depot and that work will be immediately commenced.

Longfellow's Dream, a spectacular pantomime, was presented at the Metropolitan theatre last evening by the society of St. James' church. The cast included Mrs. D. F. Wilber, Dr. A. S. Barnes, Miss Madeline Moyer, Hugh Stewart, Frank Edwards, Adin Cook, W. T. Whitney, Miss Glenn Raymond, Miss Grace Welchard, Miss Helen Fleming, Mrs. H. H. Buckley, Fred Fleming, Mrs. James Fleming, C. J. Tracy, Mrs. P. H. Young, E. E. Arnold, Mrs. R. D. Beard, Prof. V. V. Squier, Miss Elsie Morris and Dr. C. F. Entler.

May 26, 1902.

George B. Band lends in the individual bowling tournament at the Oneonta club with an average of 161 for 10 games. The next four men are Sheldahl, Dietendorf, Morris and Hoyt.

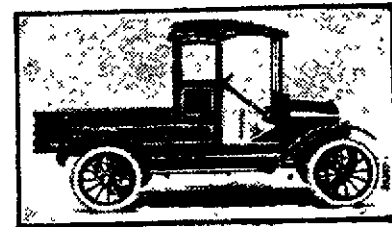
Miss Winchela L. Collem of the Normal faculty burned her hands quite severely yesterday at her boarding place at 26 Elm street when gasoline used for cleaning purposes exploded.

Charles B. Mattie, one of last year's graduates of the Oneonta High school, has refused a reappointment as principal of the school at Calhoun Depot that he may enter Boston Latin school to prepare for Harvard college.

A Decoration day excursion to Albany is announced by the Delaware and Hudson company with round trip fare at \$1.50. The Cister and Delaware company announces an excursion on that day to Kingston Point park. The round trip fare is also \$1.50.

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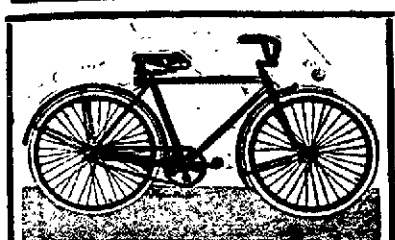
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15c Hair Nets—Any kind—1 dozen for .....	\$1.00
\$1.10 Mastin's Vitamin Tablets .....	47c
60c Jacques' Wonder Capsules .....	50c
25c Lysol .....	19c
60c Lysol .....	38c
\$1.00 Lysol .....	76c
25c Moth Balls, 1 pound for .....	17c

4 Cakes Palmolive Soap ..	25c
50c Quart Can Water Glass ..	25c
50c Highland Linen Stationery ..	39c
\$1.00 Beef, Iron and Wine .....	84c
\$1.20 Scott's Emulsion .....	89c
\$1.50 Tussell's Emulsion .....	98c
50c Palmolive Shampoo .....	39c
1 pound Epsom Salts .....	10c
50c Odorono .....	29c

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Camels and Lucky Strikes ..... 14c || 5 Peter Schuyler Perfectos ..... | 50c |
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## TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

8 A. M. ....	55
2 P. M. ....	58
8 P. M. ....	64
Maximum 70 Minimum 52	

## LOCAL MENTION.

—Firemen's dance tonight at Municipal hall.

—The D. & H. pay checks arrived in the city last night and will be distributed, it is understood, today.

—John F. Vrooman has just purchased a new Moon touring car of the Oneonta Auto Exchange, 20 Broad street.

## MAY FETE NEXT MONDAY.

Unfavorable Weather Conditions Prevent Entertainment Last Evening.

The steady rainfall of yesterday was not very desirable May fete weather, and Miss Marion Shepard, physical training director at the Normal, reluctantly announced during the afternoon that the fete had been postponed until next Monday evening at 8:15, when it is hoped that favorable weather will permit holding this event, which is always of keen enjoyment to the hundreds who journey up Normal hill to watch the students dance on the lawn.

The attention of motorists is called to the fact that cars may not be parked on the campus this year, owing to the congestion. Motorists may leave their cars on adjacent streets and then proceed to the campus for the entertainment. A large number of seats will be provided and no discomfort on the part of spectators is anticipated.

## REV. C. L. YODER.

Missionary to South America at M. E. Prayer Service Last Evening.

Attendants on the prayer service Thursday evening at the First Methodist Episcopal church had the pleasure of listening to an interesting address by Rev. C. L. Yoder, a missionary from South America, who is spending some time in the United States. Mr. Yoder, who is a representative of the Eastern South American conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Buenos Aires, spoke on the conditions and problems of evangelism and general constructive work of the church in Argentina, laying particular stress on the superstition of the less educated classes on the one hand and the leaning toward agnosticism and theism among the more intellectual elements; which is one of the great problems of the day among Spanish American people. Mr. Yoder will speak at Laurens this evening, at Sidney Sunday morning and at Bainbridge in the evening.

## Meetings Today.

Regular meeting of P. P. Cooper encampment, No. 112, I. O. O. F., in I. O. O. F. temple, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting Oneonta circle, No. 248, P. H. C. in B. R. T. hall, this evening at 8 o'clock. Initiation.

The Fidelity class of the Main Street Baptist church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gadsby, 24 Spruce street. Hostesses are Mrs. Gadsby, Mrs. Wilcox and Mrs. Blizard.

The Ladies' Aid society of the United Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 at the church. Meeting of Loyal Temperance legion today at 4 p. m. at Salvation Army hall. Mrs. J. R. Peters, superintendent.

## Large Tuberculosis Clinic.

Twenty-two cases were examined at the regular monthly tuberculosis clinic held at the Community house yesterday afternoon by Dr. F. L. Winsor, superintendent of the Mt. Vision Sanatorium. There were 12 new cases.

No evidence of active tuberculosis 7  
Tracheo Bronchial Adenitis active 1  
Positive Pulmonary T. B. incipient 1  
Positive Pulmonary T. B. moderately advanced 1

Seven were present from other clinics, of which one had evidence of active disease, two cases continued active, three were improved and one was a suspect. There were three ex-sanatorium cases remaining well.

## Two Fine Brook Trout.

"Billy" Winney of Broad street, who always knows where the large trout lie in the streams, exhibited last evening two specimens of native brook trout. One measured 16 inches in length and was the much fatter of the two and it weighed 2½ pounds. The second measured 16½ inches and weighed 2¼ pounds.

When questioned he said something about the Outpost creek and doubted that is the answer he gave all who inquired where they were caught. He caught them both on flies and had some sport before they were safely landed.

## Attention, Please.

Did you ever own a home? If not, why not own this one and not worry about your rent during old age? 16 acres, located in the Butternut valley, one mile from Smith town. Has very good basement barn, fair house, good chicken house, 20 good fruit trees, two tons of hay, kitchen range and a quantity of shingles, all for \$800 cash or \$900 on terms. Hay & Howland, 234 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y. adv 31

## High-Class Workers Wanted.

Wanted at once to work in airplane factory, one aluminum body builder, two sheet metal workers, four cabinet or pattern makers, one tool room machinist, one sheet metal welder. None but high-class men desired. Apply to Joe Bennett, Sidney. adv 21

## Meals and lunches.

Ice cold soft drinks and ice cream served at H. Crawford's restaurant, Portlandville, N. Y. Lunches packed for tourists a specialty. Special dinner on short notice. adv 31

## 50 silk waists.

Including a few over-blouses, are offered by The Capron company, at one half original price. A wide range of color and materials. adv 11

## Nelson's Fish Market.

Chinook salmon, halibut, trout, mackerel, shad, clams and blue fish. 13 South Main street. adv 11

## Free fish—A good supply.

Including shad, at Ellis market, 102 Main. Free delivery. Call 896-W. adv 11

## Lady meat cook wanted at Pioneer lunch.

adv 61

## MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

ARRANGEMENTS FOR ANNUAL OBSERVANCE ARE NOW COMPLETED.

Parade to be followed by Exercises at Riverside Cemetery and Dedication of Memorial Trees and Fountain at Neahwa Park—All Veterans' Organizations in City to Participate.

Arrangements for the formal observance of Memorial day in Oneonta were completed yesterday and it is believed that the exercises will be among the most beautiful and impressive ever held in the city. In addition to the usual exercises at Riverside cemetery there will be impressive ceremonies at Neahwa park in connection with the unveiling of the fountain given by the women of the city in memory of Miss Ethel Seachard, Red Cross nurse, and with the dedication of the American Legion of the trees planted by the Chamber of Commerce in memory of Oneonta's World War dead.

In the morning there will be no formal observance but there will be the private decoration of graves by friends, relatives and members of veterans' organizations. From 12 noon until 12:05 the church bells of the city will toll and citizens are requested to stand with bared heads during that period of tribute. The parade will form at 12:45 o'clock on Main street, right resting on Chestnut, and will move in the following order:

Major G. W. Augustin, Marshal  
Chief of Police F. N. Horton and Squad  
Mayor C. C. Miller and Common Council

Company G Band  
Co. G, 10th Inf., N. Y. G., Captain Louis M. Baker, Commanding  
E. D. Farmer Post, No. 119, G. A. R. of Oneonta, W. H. Brown, Commander

Col. Walter Scott Camp, No. 42, Spanish War Veterans, R. E. Estabrook, Commander

Oneonta Post, No. 259, American Legion, A. L. Bergan, Commander

Boy Scouts, C. I. Biederman, Scout Commissioner

Troop 2, C. I. Biederman, Scout Master

Troop 4, C. C. House, Scout Master

Troop 3, H. G. Wheeler, Scout Master

Oneonta Fire Department, Charles E. Choate, Chief

The children of the schools of the city, in charge of Dr. P. I. Bugbee, principal of the State Normal school, and Dr. George J. Dann, superintendent of city schools, will march at the cemetery and join the parade as it enters, as will also E. D. Farmer Woman's Relief Corps, No. 123, Mrs. Celia Westcott, president, and Ladies Auxiliary, U. S. W. V. The column will move direct to Riverside cemetery where the following exercises will take place:

Introductory Address, W. H. Brown, Post Commander, G. A. R.

Prayer, William Field, Chaplain, G. A. R.

Reading, G. O. 11, May 8, 1868. Prin. H. G. VanDeusen.

Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. Rupert Beisel.

Music, Company G Band.

Address, W. H. Brown, Post Commander.

Music, Company G Band.

Address, Prof. Albert P. Mills.

Dedication of Monument.

Salute to the Dead, Flying Squad and Bugler, Company G.

National Anthem, Company G Band.

Benediction, Rev. Philip M. Luther.

Decoration of Graves.

Music, Company G Band.

The parade will then reform and proceed to the Neahwa Place entrance to Neahwa Park where the memorial trees and fountain will be dedicated. The program for these exercises follows:

Opening Remarks, A. L. Bergan, Post Commander, American Legion.

Invocation.

Selection, Company G Band.

Address, Major G. W. Augustin.

Placing of Markers on Trees.

Presentation of Ethel Seachard Memorial Fountain, Mrs. M. C. Hemstreet, chairman of fund.

Unveiling, Miss Jean Seachard and Miss Barbara Lane.

Acceptance in Name of City, Mayor C. C. Miller.

Taps.

## HELLO BROADWAY, TODAY.

Billy Allen in Laughing Revue in Many Scenes at Oneonta Theatre.

The Billy Allen Musical Comedy company will present "Hello Broadway," for today only, at the Oneonta theatre and those who enjoy a laughing show, produced with beautiful scenery and effects and with breezy musical numbers and specialties, will get a big bargain for their money. This show is in many scenes and goes quickly from one clever scene to another with the comedy starting early in the performance and never letting down until the final curtain.

Special mention should be made of the performance of Cinderella for Saturday matinee only. This play always attracts full houses and can be guaranteed to make good with the most critical. The story of Cinderella is one that is appealing to all and the Billy Allen company in its playing of the story, adheres strictly to all the little details that are so well known. Cinderella, for Saturday matinee only and My Elleen for Saturday night.

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The most fastidious tastes cannot distinguish between Hygrade Brand Butterine and creamery butter—unless the creamery butter is of inferior quality. adv 61

Susquehanna lodge, No. 71, B. of L. P. and E. Regular meeting Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in B. of L. T. hall. Business of importance. adv 21

Marguerite Hennessey wishes to thank all those who helped her win first prize in the Sparkle contest at Ward's jewelry store. adv 11

If you enjoy a good time, you can't afford to miss the Firemen's dance to-night in Municipal hall. Coller's orchestra. Nutt sed. adv 11

795-W calls the Oneonta Carpet Cleaning works. adv 61

## ONEONTA IS APPRECIATIVE

Bundles of Old Clothing Piled Into Y. M. C. A. Headquarters for Near East Relief Drive—Today is Your Last Chance to Help.

Rainy day proved a good day for the Near East clothing drive, Secretary A. C. Lange, who is local chairman, reported last night. A goodly number of bundles were collected during the afternoon and the supply now on hand is more than all of last year's receipts. The steady flow is expected to continue today, and by tonight the Y. M. C. A. headquarters of the campaign, no doubt will resemble a Near East Relief station. When it is stated with authority by the president of the Armenian republic that 500,000 people in Armenia—one-fifth of the entire population—were clothed last year in cast-off garments from America, the importance of the success of the campaign here in Oneonta is evident.

Asked to state his attitude on the "old clothes" drive, Mayor C. C. Miller replied: "I expect our city to make a record to be proud of in relieving the desperate need of these people. We in America can hardly realize what the old clothes hanging in our closets may mean in Armenia. The people actually die for want of clothes to keep them warm. Letters from Near East workers overseas tell of men and women, boys and girls, with feet frozen for lack of shoes. They say that outside of food, old clothes are their greatest need."

Those who have not already notified the Y. M. C. A. of bundles they have ready are requested to do so before noon today, as the final collection will be made this afternoon. Just call 534-W and the truck will stop at your house. The need is great. See that you have bundles to send their contributions to Oneonta are requested to have them at the Y. M. C. A. here by the middle of next week at the latest, so that all the clothing can be sent in one shipment.

## OPENING WEEK SCHEDULE

Two Games Memorial Day with the Olympics of Syracuse at 10:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.—Two Games With Unadilla.

Manager Bridwell and his Oneonta Gladiators are not having the best of conditions or weather for preliminary practice, yet assurances are given that they will be in condition for the opening games on Memorial Day, when they will meet at the new and greatly enlarged grounds at Neahwa park the strong Olympics of Syracuse. Games are scheduled for 10:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. The members of the team are reporting in no better and there are no fears but that the team will give a good account of themselves on the opening day.

The schedule for the opening week evidences that the boys have their work cut out for them. Unadilla is reported to have gathered a team calculated to take the measure of Oneonta and it is hinted that Manager Moore is gunning for the Oneonta scalp this season. Susquehanna and the Troy Professionals are heralded as fast so that some fast ball is promised right off the bat.

The schedule for the week is as follows:

Olympics Games Decoration Day.

Olympics of Syracuse—two games, 10:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

Wednesday, May 31, at Unadilla.

Thursday—Susquehanna at Oneonta.

Friday—Unadilla at Oneonta.

Saturday—Troy Professionals at Oneonta.

Sunday, June 4—At Albany with Bonackers.

## Look Around

Before you buy, then see me for prices on paints, brushes, roofing, white lead, oils, etc. Saving guaranteed. L. W. Vordermark, 15 East street. Call after 6 p. m. Adv. 61.

Better buy that 100-lb. bag of granulated sugar at Palmer's grocery while you can get it for \$6.75. adv 21

## DINNER FOR TRAVELING MEN

Commercial Travelers of Oneonta Entertained June 3 by Chamber of Commerce at Elks' Club.

A dinner for the traveling men of Oneonta is being arranged by Oneonta Chamber of Commerce for Saturday evening, June 3, at the Elks' club, beginning at 6:30 o'clock. Invitations to the dinner were mailed last night to all representatives traveling for Oneonta houses or out-of-town houses in this territory living in Oneonta, as known to the committee.

Acquainting the men who represent Oneonta on the road with the advantages and resources of Oneonta, which they can utilize as talking points for the city, and promoting social acquaintanceships between the traveling men and the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and other leading citizens, are the chief purposes of the dinner.

Plans for the dinner have been carefully laid during the last few weeks by a committee consisting of E. W. Rucker Jr., Charles J. Beams, H. Spencer Rowe, O. E. Rowe, and C. H. Walling. They have compiled a list which includes all the traveling men of Oneonta as nearly as was possible to ascertain.

Any traveling men who do not receive invitations to the dinner are requested to notify the Chamber of Commerce offices, telephone 826, as the committee earnestly desires to have every traveling man of the city present at the dinner.

Representatives of out-of-town houses will be guests of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and Oneonta houses will act as hosts for their representatives. Other citizens desirous of attending the dinner are welcome and should make reservations as early as possible, at \$1.25 per plate, with Secretary Hicks at the Chamber offices.

## SUSTAINED FRACTURED LEG

Philemon Ives of Worcester, Aged 83 Years, Has a Fall.

Mrs. Leslie Gardner was summoned to Worcester late on Wednesday by intelligence that her father, Philemon Ives, had suffered a fracture of the left leg below the knee. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner hastened to Worcester by motor car and Mrs. Gardner remained there.

It seems that Mr. and Mrs. Ives, after spending the winter in their village home, thought they would enjoy the summer more back on the farm where he had resided 50 years and more, and accordingly they moved to the old home on Wednesday. Mr. Ives, while engaged in removing some articles from the wagon, accidentally fell and in falling sustained the fracture. Dr. M. H. Nichols was summoned and reduced the fracture and Mr. Ives is quite comfortable.

While the accident is a serious one for Mr. Ives, who is 83 years of age, the break is a clean one and as his general health is good it is believed that the broken bone will quickly heal and that he will fully recover from the accident.

## Flowers Wanted.

Everyone is invited and earnestly requested to bring flowers to the members of the W. H. C. and L. S. W. V. auxiliary at the Wilber bank building, Tuesday morning, at 7 o'clock, for the decoration of the graves of our soldier dead.

Never was Mother Nature more lavish with her blooms. Let us feel it a sacred and patriotic duty to gather from woods, fields and gardens these blossoms that we may express our appreciation and sympathy for this great vanishing army.

Wanted—Dining room girl at the Pioneer lunch. adv 121

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### Roses for "Clover"



"Clover," oldest living horse, greeted with roses by Miss Mabel at the start of the Masonic Fashion exhibit in Madison Square Garden, New York. One rose for each year of his age, 51.

### AGONIAN CONVOCATION

Thursday Session in Three-Day Convention at Oneonta Normal School—Many Delegates Present.

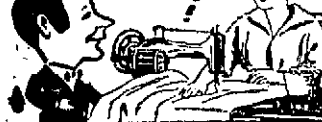
The delegates from the chapters of the Agonian sorority of this state have arrived in this city, and the three-day convocation of Ago has begun. Among the visitors are the Grand President, Miss Merritt, the grand vice-president, Miss Fuller, the grand critic, Miss Brodie and grand treasurer, Miss Griffiths. Four school chapters and two alumni chapters are represented. The delegates are as follows:

Zeta chapter, Brockport, Misses Allen and Ventres.  
Alpha chapter, Geneseo, Misses Dates and Chadwick.  
Delta chapter, Plattsburg, Misses Proulx and Brazier.  
Theta chapter, Cortland, Misses Flint and Hogan.  
Iota Alumni chapter, Pittsburgh, Mrs. Gilbert.  
Eta Alumni chapter, Jamaica, Mrs. Albro.

The girls were disappointed in not being able to view the annual May day fete, which was to have been given last evening but which was postponed indefinitely on account of unfavorable weather conditions. The program for today includes a reception at 4 p. m. in the club rooms at the Normal, for the delegates and members of the local Ago chapter, and a dance to be given tonight at the Normal for members of the clubs and for visiting delegates. The entertainment will consist of music, refreshments, dancing and games, and the girls anticipate a very enjoyable evening.

Saturday morning at 8 o'clock the annual business meeting will be held in the club rooms at the Normal. Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock there will be a picnic in the Pine at which the delegates will be the guests of the local chapter. At 7 p. m. Saturday the annual banquet will be given at the Country club. The toasts for the evening will be most interesting and entertaining. The toastmaster will be Miss Edna Rutherford.

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### Personal

L. E. Waters of Albany arrived in the city last night for a visit with his mother here.

Mrs. A. H. Brownell is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Hume, in Delhi this week.

Mrs. Jerome S. Seacord and Miss Lavanda Halsey, both of Unadilla, were callers in the city yesterday.

Attorney George Wohlleben returned last evening from a trip to Kingston, where legal errands had called him.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Simmons of 26 Academy street left yesterday morning for a brief sojourn in Albany.

Mrs. Edwin S. Granger of Binghamton is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller, Ford avenue.

Mrs. Mervin M. Muller returned last evening from Roslyn, L. I., where she has been visiting her son, Walter J. Muller.

William F. Knowlton of Gloversville, who for a few days had been visiting friends in Oneonta, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. M. H. Jackson and two children, arrived home last evening from an extended stay at her old home in West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Shearer who motored to this city from Rockford, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Shearer and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shearer.

Mrs. Edward Nash and Mrs. Merton Hunt, both of Norwich, in the city in attendance at the Eastern Star convention, are the guests of Mrs. F. M. H. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Matteson of New York city are expected to motor from that city to Oneonta today to remain until after Memorial day with Oneonta friends.

Conductor George Bailey of 17 Pearl street left last evening for Mohawk where he will take charge of the work train operating from that place. His family will move to Mohawk next week.

Mrs. W. J. Potter of Glens Falls, who had been visiting in Oneonta for a few days, left Thursday morning for a further sojourn with Mrs. Ell Rose and other friends in Central Bridge before returning home.

Miss Marion Hingston of Bayonne, N. J., formerly a student at the State Normal school and a young lady with many friends in the city arrived last evening and is a guest at the residence of L. C. Gurney on Dietz street.

Mrs. C. C. Westcott, who for four weeks has been seriously ill of bronchial pneumonia, is slowly recovering and is able to sit up two or three hours daily. Her many friends will rejoice to know of her improvement.

Mrs. Joseph Reed and Miss Florence Ringe of Norwich, who were delegates from Norwich to the Eastern Star convention in Oneonta yesterday, were guests of Mrs. Albert Thompson of 53 River street while in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Chambers departed last evening for a few days stay in Ithaca. They anticipated witnessing the boat races between Cornell and Harvard and the ball game on Saturday between Cornell and Yale. They expect to return on Sunday.

Mrs. Edward E. Farrell of Lower Chestnut street, who is at the Fox hospital for treatment, is making good progress toward recovery from the injuries sustained some time ago when she ran over by a motor car. It is expected that the injured leg will be fully restored.

The Misses Virginia Morris and Mary Sisson left yesterday morning for Ithaca, where they will remain for the week-end, attending the university hop this evening and witnessing the Spring day exercises, which will include a baseball game between Cornell and Yale, on Saturday.

Mrs. J. J. Wright of Chicago, Ill., who was visiting friends in Binghamton, on learning of the death of Mrs. Walter S. Whipple came up for the funeral and was the guest while in the city of Miss Fanny Kellogg. She returned to Binghamton last night but is expected to visit Oneonta friends before returning to her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Buckley, who had been spending the past five months on the Pacific coast, most of the time sojourning at Pasadena, Cal., arrived in Oneonta Wednesday evening and will make their headquarters for the summer at the Cathedral Farms. Miss Esther A. Buckley and Miss May Hurlbut will remain until the close of the school year, and on their return will attend the wedding of Miss Esther's eldest sister, Miss Letitia Adams, at New Castle, Ind., which takes place the latter part of June.

**Woman's Auxiliary Elects.**  
A business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. James' Episcopal church was held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Miss Caroline Jenkins, 59 Ford avenue. At this time the annual election of officers took place. The officers for the next year will be:

President—Mrs. Harry M. Goldsmith.  
Vice-President—Mrs. W. S. Cooke.  
Secretary—Miss Minnie Russell.  
Treasurer—Miss Caroline Jenkins.

All the officers of last year were re-elected, and the office of vice-president, newly created this year, was filled. At this meeting the report of Mrs. Cooke, who was the delegate to the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Board of Missions, held at Cohoes, was read.

The year's work as viewed in retrospect has been very successful and the officers are to be congratulated upon their re-election.

Now six-room house, with all improvements, near Normal school. Be ready to occupy June 1st, \$3,000. Small payment down. Hay & Howland, 234 Main street. Adv. 27

Ira Sweet, practical bondsman, at the Windsor, Oneonta, June 5, Carver hotel, Norwich, June 8. Adv. 17.

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Fancy dairy butter, 43c per lb. Gardner's grocery, 37 Chestnut street. Adv. 31.

The Pioneer lunch wants a dishwasher. Apply at once. Adv. 61.

Piano tuner—C. B. Hill. Phone 15-F22. Adv. 120.

### FUNERAL MRS. W. S. WHIPPLE

Many Friends Present at Services Yesterday Afternoon—Heartfelt and Impressive Tribute by Her Pastor, Rev. Dr. B. M. Johns.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Walter S. Whipple, which was held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 51 Chestnut street in this city, was largely attended, the house being crowded to the doors with loving and sympathetic friends. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. B. M. Johns of the First Methodist Episcopal church, who was not only her pastor, but an intimate personal friend of the family. His address, which was preceded by the reading of appropriate selections from scripture, had for its text the words of Paul in II Corinthians, 4:18: "We look not at the things which are seen but at the things which are not seen."

Taking his theme from the thought suggested in the quoted words, Dr. Johns laid special emphasis upon the invisible things of life as distinguished from those visible and tangible. The latter are things which we may see, or hear, or touch, or discover by means of the sensory nerves. These are evident in greater or less degree to all, but knowledge is not so limited as this, and the greater part of the universe is beyond the range of such appreciation.

Beyond these material things is thought—more delicate, elusive, intangible, but beyond and superior to this is that wonderful thing we call love, for which cool, calculating reason is no match; and beyond love itself is conscience, a tremendous reality and the very backbone of character.

Following these lines of thought the speaker emphasized the fact that we live in two worlds, and that of these the invisible is the most important and enduring, making the home and grounding our faith firmly upon the vital fact of immortality.

So when the angel of death as in the present instance knocks at the door, and the heart is still, we are able to say "Thank God, she is not dead; She looked through eyes, but the eyes were not her. She spoke through lips, but the lips were not her. She had faith and hope and love. These are the invisible bonds which are not dissolved. Disease does not infect, decay does not disintegrate, death does not destroy."

In his remarks Dr. Johns referred with deep feeling and strong emotion to his personal acquaintance with Mrs. Whipple, to her faithfulness to the church, her regular attendance at its services, her love of the old hymns, and in particular to the home life which was in all matters sweet and lovable. These are the things, and this the influence which beyond all this material will endure.

Following the service, interment was in the family plot in Glenwood cemetery, the bearers being Dr. P. I. Bugbee, H. M. Goldsmith, George B. Baird, L. C. Gurney, H. D. Wheeler and C. F. Shelland. Among the many floral tributes which bespoke the general sympathy, appreciation and respect, were those from the Woman's club of Oneonta, the Past Presidents of the club, the Woman's board of the Fox Memorial hospital, the board of directors of the Oneonta Water Works company, the Rotary club, the faculty of the Oneonta State Normal school, employees of the Oneonta Coal and Supply company, Tuesday Bridge club, superintendent and nurses of the Fox Memorial hospital, Thursday Evening Bridge club, the board of directors of the Woman's club, and the Surgical department of the Fox Memorial hospital, besides many from neighbors and intimate friends.

Among those present from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. Bert VanDeWalker, B. A. Curtis, Riley M. Rush and Elmer Rush and son, Harold, of Camden, this state; Mrs. Joseph J. Wright and Mrs. Grant Pelton of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson, Miss Sarah Johnson, Merrill and Robert Clark, Mrs. G. W. Augustin and Mrs. Merritt Dunbar of Laurens.

**A Variety Shower.**  
About twenty young ladies of the city, including members of the Dorcas class and the choir of the First Baptist church, of both of which the hostess is a member, was given Wednesday evening to Miss Velma Beams of 100 Spruce street, whose approaching marriage to Frank Bouton of Middleburgh is announced. A very pleasant evening was spent with games and music; and delicious refreshments were served by the guests, whose heartfelt best wishes will be long remembered. The "shower" embraced many articles of silver, cut glass, linen, etc.

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**Beaded Gowns**  
Beaded georgette gowns showing Persian and other Oriental patterns are becoming popular. Bright shades of iridescent beads are most common. Cut steel beads lead in favor.

**Woman's Auxiliary Elects.**  
A business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. James' Episcopal church was held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Miss Caroline Jenkins, 59 Ford avenue. At this time the annual election of officers took place. The officers for the next year will be:

President—Mrs. Harry M. Goldsmith.  
Vice-President—Mrs. W. S. Cooke.  
Secretary—Miss Minnie Russell.  
Treasurer—Miss Caroline Jenkins.

All the officers of last year were re-elected, and the office of vice-president, newly created this year, was filled. At this meeting the report of Mrs. Cooke, who was the delegate to the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Board of Missions, held at Cohoes, was read.

The year's work as viewed in retrospect has been very successful and the officers are to be congratulated upon their re-election.

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### PRINCE OF AFGHANISTAN IS STUDENT IN PARIS



The son and heir of the king of Afghanistan, with other princes and sons of nobles of the court, is studying in Paris at the Lycee Michelet. The picture shows the crown prince.

### MARRIAGES.

**Knowlton-McCormick.**  
Frederick W. Knowlton of Gouverneur and Mrs. Olive E. McCormick of this city were united in marriage yesterday morning about 10 o'clock at the First Baptist parsonage on Chestnut street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. E. J. Farley and the couple were unattended.

The groom is employed as a carpenter in Gouverneur and they will make their home in that place. The bride, whose home is at 48 Miller street, has recently been employed at Davenport.

**Social Club Meets.**  
The Social club of the Chapin Memorial church, met with Mrs. T. D. Glenn, 12 Luther street, last evening. Members and their friends to the number of about 25 were present. The evening was passed with games and music. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Everyone spent a most enjoyable evening and declared Mrs. Glenn a most capable hostess.

**Burroughs Club Hikes Saturday.**  
Members of the Burroughs Nature club will meet Saturday morning at 6 o'clock at the union station, foot of Broad street, for a hike to Neahwa park.

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Drop of \$3,650,000,000 From  
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Agriculturist Earned Less in 1920  
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Years, Survey Shows—Suffer  
Heavily.

New York.—The American farmer, who rose to unprecedented heights of prosperity in 1918 and 1919, earned less in 1920 than he has earned in any year of the last ten. If his income is reckoned in dollars having the same purchasing power as in 1913, according to estimates made public by the national bureau of economic research.

Reckoned in actual dollars paid to him in 1920, the farmer's income, as shown by the report, was less than in three previous years, but was greater than in the seven years from 1910 to 1916, inclusive.

The figures, taken from a detailed report of an exhaustive nation-wide survey, showed that the country's 6,450,000 farmers in 1920 earned approximately \$7,200,000,000—a drop of \$3,650,000,000 from their income for the year before.

The farmers, who represent about 16 per cent of the gainfully employed, have received during the last decade a share in the total national income varying between 12.3 per cent in 1911 and 17.4 in 1917 and 1918, until 1920, when it dropped to 10.9 per cent.

The final figures for the total income in 1920 can only be approximated, owing to the delay in publishing the income tax returns.

"When these figures are translated into terms of the purchasing power of '1913,' it is again seen that the purchasing power of the farmers was at its lowest ebb in 1920," says the report.

An official summary of the report adds:

"It will be seen that in 1920 the farmers fell faster than the rest of those gainfully employed. They had further to fall.

"What the results may have been in 1921 can not yet be determined, because, while farmers again suffered heavy losses, the rest of the country also ran into a period of severe depression."

**Golden Eagle Captured.**  
Anderson, Ky.—A golden eagle which measured seven feet from tip to tip of his wings was captured one day by Winfrey P. Blackburn, Van Buren, between Glasgow and Lawrenceburg. The bird is a splendid specimen of the rare species and was not injured. The big bird has attracted much attention at the home of Blackburn, where it is being exhibited.

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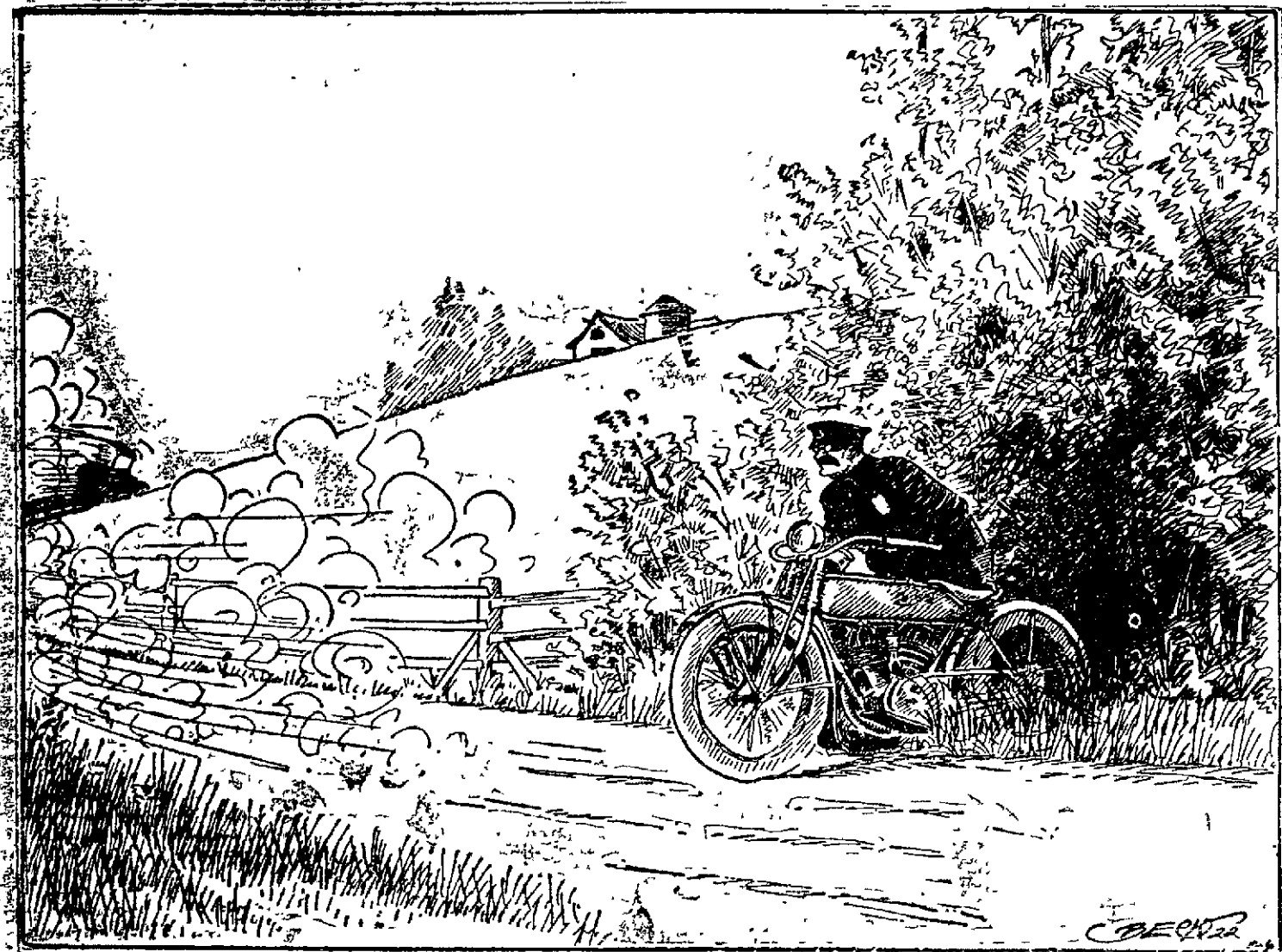
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## COAL MINE FATALITIES DROP

Decrease of 26 Per Cent Shown in  
United States Bureau Report  
for January.

Washington, D. C.—Fatalities at coal mines during January declined about 26 per cent from January a year ago, according to an announcement today by the bureau of mines. The total last month was 146 against 197 last year. Based on an estimated coal production of 43,955,000 tons last month, the death rate was 3.32 per million tons mined, compared with 4.13 for January 1921.

Compared with the accident record for January last year, there was a reduction last January of thirteen fatalities in West Virginia, eight in Kentucky, seven in the bituminous mines of Pennsylvania, four in Wyoming, three in Indiana and three in Iowa. Alabama showed an increase of five and Ohio two. A reduction of seven is shown in the number killed at the anthracite mines in Pennsylvania.

**Origin of Pew.**  
The origin of pews for the use of worshippers may be traced back to the time of the Norman nobles. In those days the ordinary church-goer sat on a three-legged stool, while the lords of the land enjoyed a back when at their devotions.

## This Man Intends to Keep It in the House

"In May or June, 1911, I sent to you and got four bottles which were worth many dollars to me. They enabled me to go to work again. I had lost 40 pounds but these 4 bottles of Myer's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble gained back all I had lost and I feel like a new man since. I shall keep it in the house all the time. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrh which causes the intestinal tract and allows the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Including appendicitis. Que does will relieve or money refunded. Druggists everywhere.

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## AMERICA LEADS IN BACHELORS

United States Has 13,000,000  
Single Male Adults, Says  
Census Figures.

MORE THAN ANY OTHER NATION

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Housing Shortage Important  
Factor in Situation.

Washington.—About 13,000,000 adult males in the United States are unmarried, reports of the census bureau show. America, it is indicated, has more bachelors than any nation in the world.

Reports that a new record for the number of marriages was established during the last 12 months are not credited by government officials. Matrimony has and still is claiming less persons now than at any time in a decade, it is believed.

Young men and women seemingly are becoming reluctant to tread the path to the altar. Government officials are studying the situation to learn the cause of the apparent unpopularity of romantic love.

The cost of living was examined first, but it is not believed that high prices tended to discourage matrimony until after the armistice, when they began to act as a brake upon the establishment of new families.

**Million Marriages a Year.**  
Approximately 1,000,000 marriages occur each year in the United States. This is not a large number in proportion to the adult population. In Japan, England, and especially in Germany, the proportion is much higher, officials say.

The nationwide housing shortage is believed to be an important factor in the situation. Widespread unemployment is another. Both men and women hesitate to assume responsibilities when pay envelopes are an unknown quantity.

The so-called "new independence" of women is being studied to determine whether it throws any light on the problem. According to many sociologists many women hesitate to marry because generally they must give up their jobs. Approximately 8,500,000 women are regularly employed in the United States, according to the census returns. The number is constantly increasing. A propaganda is being carried on in many sections intended to keep married women out of industry while unemployment is widespread among the male of the species.

**Age Being Lowered.**  
Other reports to the census bureau seem to make the problem more complex. These reports show that the age of marriage is gradually being lowered.

In many sections of the country women especially are assuming the responsibilities of matrimony at ages very much under twenty. Formerly most women married between the ages of twenty and twenty-five. Later marriages would seem to point to more marriages but in this respect the returns do not coincide.

The majority of men marry between twenty-five and thirty, the reports show.

There are some government officials who scoff at the study of the census returns in their relation to the marriage problem. Figures these officials say, can be made to prove anything. They put no faith whatever in the old theory that "figures never lie."

Ministers and sociologists interested in the divorce problem are showing keen interest in the returns of the census bureau with respect to matrimony.

**Explaining One Problem.**

Jud Thinkins says some of the modern problems are due to the fact that there are too many chefs and not enough hired girls.

## SEND MAN BY MAIL

American Lost in London Gets Back  
to Hotel by Mail.

Walking into a post office in the East End of London recently, a newspaper reporter, an American visitor said: "I'm lost. I want to get back to my hotel in the West End. Can you help me?"

The girl behind the counter replied: "We can send you by post."

"Post!" echoed the man in astonishment.

"It's quite simple," the girl rejoined. "Your name and address, please? You will be sent by express letter post immediately. The charge is sixpence a mile."

She "handed over" the lost tourist to a small messenger boy and the two set out arm-in-arm for the American's hotel.

The American is not the first person to be "posted" in this way. Last year the same newspaper sent by post a member of its reporting staff to a destination some miles out of London with the object of calling attention to the fact that the British postal authorities do accept human beings as "correspondence."

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Splendid spirit! Magnificent service! But while preparations for these observances take place, we are apt to forget the veteran of the Spanish-American war. So let us not say the heroes of two wars are honored, but rather the heroes of three wars.

We have never given the Spanish-American war veteran quite the honor which is his due. He did some great



Memorial Day, 1899.

things for us. He was a volunteer soldier. He acted in a hurry. He suffered. He bled. He endured his hardships. He had his sicknesses. And he won.

The war with Spain in 1898 had enlisted hundreds of thousands of men; many more than were called for. Many of them never came back.

The armies in that war were made up entirely of volunteer soldiers. Conscription was not employed and not needed. Not a battle was lost in that war by American soldiers. Not an inch of ground was covered by retreat. For not a single hour from the time of the declaration of war until the finish was there any question as to the outcome.

The world was astounded by the feats of our splendidly equipped navy. Germany silenced, England was won over to our way of thinking, and prestige not known before was given our nation throughout Europe. We obtained a free hand in the Pacific, and established channels of trade with the Orient.

Best of all, friendly relations with the South were cultivated. Both North and South united in a common cause. And the Monroe doctrine was given new force and meaning on this hemisphere.

All of that was done in 100 days by the Spanish-American war veteran. Let us not forget him. Let us do him honor with the others on Memorial days.

## Nature's Wonderful Power.

Beside the moist clouds the slender flags arise filled with the sweetness of the earth. Out of the darkness under that darkness which knows no day save when the plowshare opens its chinks—they have come to the light.

Yonder a steam plow pants up the hill, groaning with its own strength, yet all that strength and might of wheels, and piston, and chains, cannot drag from the earth one single blade like these. Force cannot make it; it must grow—an easy word to speak or write in fact full of potency—Richard Jefferies, in "Out of Doors"

## How Many Stars?

We think of the multitude of stars and would in all probability say that on a clear, frosty, moonless night we see millions of them. In reality, on such a night, if we leave out the faintly luminous milky way, we see fewer than 3,000 distinct stars. In the whole starry sphere, of which we see only half of any given time, there are only a score of first-magnitude stars, beginning with Sirius, the brightest of them, and including stars like Orion's right shoulder and left knee, Betelgeuse and Rigel, Vega and Arcturus.

## Seemed to Be Something Wrong.

Kenneth's mother had been to the hospital and Kenneth was waiting impatiently for her return. The day of her homecoming he took a chair up to the window and watched every auto pass with his little nose flattened against the window pane. Suddenly an auto pulled up, his mother looked out and waved, and Kenneth dashed madly out to the steps to greet her. Mother was overjoyed at seeing him, she began to cry, and Kenneth looked at her and said: "Ooh, mother dear, ain't you all well yet?"

## Snake Kills Two Africans.

Capetown.—A huge snake is terrorizing the countryside at Fort Victoria, Rhodesia. It has slain two natives and more than 100 animals. The natives consider it the reincarnation of King Lobengula, seeking vengeance.

## PASTOR IS A FLOORWALKER

New York Minister's Parish Not Aware of Department Store Job.

Union Hill, N. J.—Unable to make financial ends meet on his salary of less than \$24 weekly as pastor of the Methodist church here, Rev. F. C.

Ramsay passes six days each week as a floorwalker in a store and the seventh in his church.

He was found in the position of floorwalker and section manager of a big Manhattan department store, a position which he has held the last year without the knowledge of his parishioners. He has been pastor of the Union Hill church for 30 years. "The average human being doesn't

work enough," Mr. Ramsay said. "I find that I can work as a floorwalker, write my sermons, study and lecture in the evenings, preach twice Sunday and wake up Monday eager for my store job."

Cuba Size of Pennsylvania.  
The area of Cuba is about equal to that of the state of Pennsylvania.

Need Schools in Mexico City.  
Mexico City.—More than 60,000 children of Mexico City are without school accommodations, according to newspaper reports. Of the 100,000 children of school age in the capital, it is said there is room for only 100,000. President Obregon is supporting Governor Gasca of the federal district in his efforts to supply more facilities.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF SOUTHERN NEW YORK POWER & RAILWAY CORPORATION: You are hereby notified that a meeting of the stockholders of Southern New York Power & Railway Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation at Oneonta (Oswego county), New York, on the 29th day of May, 1922, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors, amending the By-Laws and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

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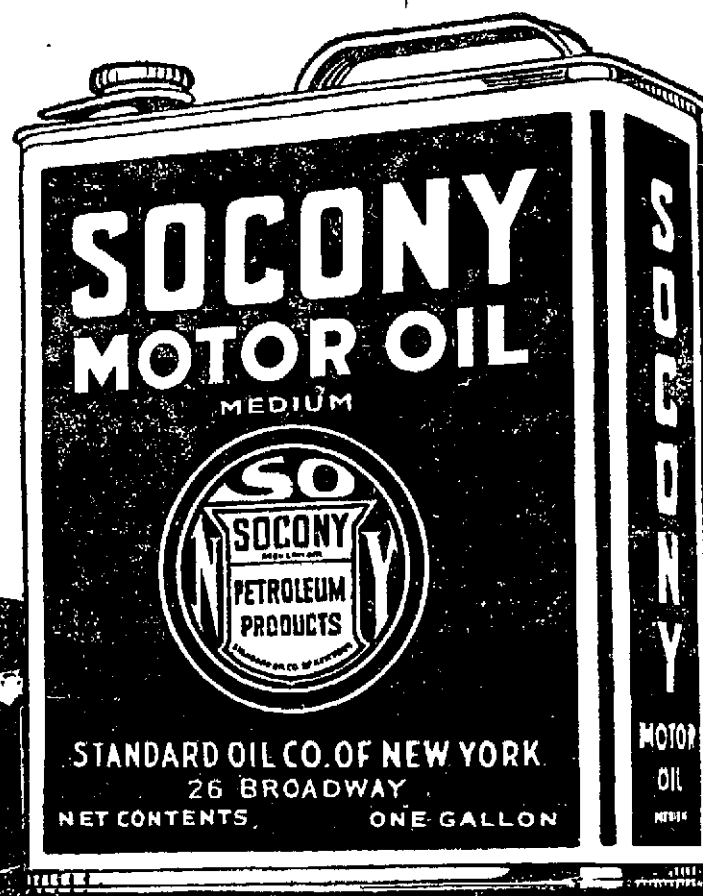
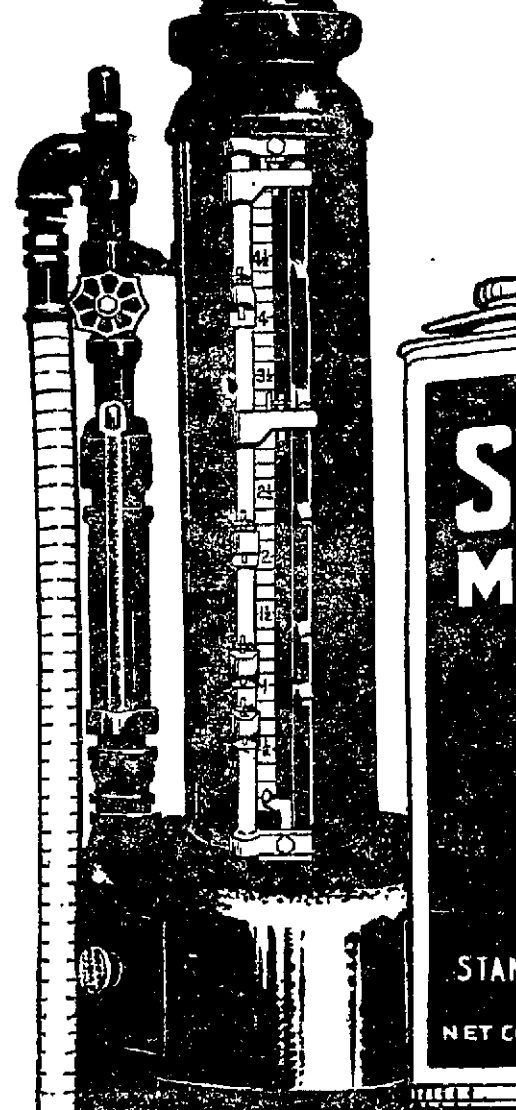
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## TEN, SHE'S READ 1400 BOOKS!



Betty Ford, "wonder child," and Professor Louis Terman, psychologist, who "discovered" her.

San Francisco, May 25.—Science has discovered a wonder child here—Betty Ford, 10.

Though she has never attended school or received special training at home, this little girl has read 1400 books, gained a wide knowledge of history, astronomy and biology, and has written several hundred poems! Here's how Betty's mind unfolded: Her memory dates back to the time of feeding by bottle at the age of 12 months.

At 19 months she spoke words clearly and knew the alphabet.

At 20 months she could put picture puzzles together.

When 22 months old she could name 12 birds in a picture.

At 30 months she began inventing stories and at 33 months she had composed jingles and rhymes.

"Silas Marner" and Charles Lamb were her mental fodder at five years old.

She was skillfully operating a typewriter at six.

And at eight she had a vocabulary of 13,000 words, the average expected of a university freshman.

Still, Betty is not a weak, anemic

child. She's healthy, well developed, fond of play and is considered a "tomboy" by her playmates.

"My guiding principle in rearing Betty has been that a child's confidence in its ability to think should be carefully cultivated," says Mrs. Sophie Ford, Betty's mother. "I have followed no set methods."

Professor Louis Terman, who is conducting a \$20,000 investigation of child prodigy psychology for the Commonwealth Fund of New York, found Betty.

## A PRAYER

By Betty Ford.

Oh, Master of Fire, Lord of Air,  
Oh, God of waters, hear my prayer.  
Lord of ground and stirring trees,  
God of Man, of pleasant breeze,  
Dear Father, Let me happy be,  
As happy as a growing tree.

## LATEST VICINITY NOTES

Record of Current Events in Otsego and Adjoining Counties.

The largest trout to be taken from Otsego lake so far this season was caught by C. H. Mosher last Saturday afternoon. This fine specimen of fish measured twenty-five inches long and weighed five pounds to an ounce.

Deputies from the office of the collector of internal revenue at Syracuse are looking up the non-payment of revenue taxes on dances held in that city during the past year. Between 200 and 300 dances were held in Syracuse last year, from the proceeds of which not a penny was paid in way of taxes.

Mrs. Lewis Realy, of Hancock, fractured her right leg Friday. While

near a pile of building stone, reaching to hang a sack of pot cheese to a tree, three large stones slid from the pile. Mrs. Realy endeavored to hold them from striking her foot, but one of the heavy ones struck her leg just below the knee.

Chenango, Delaware and Otsego counties are cooperating in the formation of a Tri-County Hooper club for boys and girls between 10 and 20 years of age living in the vicinity of Sidney. The project will be financed by the Sidney National bank on the promissory note plan and in the fall an exhibit of the animals will be held and prizes awarded of \$25, \$15, \$10 and \$5 respectively.

Hon. Wallace H. Sidney, assemblyman from Schoharie county, will deliver the Memorial day address at Jefferson on Tuesday next.

The winners in the spelling contests in the various supervisory districts in Schoharie county are Dorothy Reed of Bingham, Grace Klump of Broome, Olive Myers of Conesville, Edward Dean of Gilboa and Marjorie Danforth of Jefferson. The county contest to decide who shall represent the county at the state contest in Syracuse will be held at Schoharie May 30.

The two trials of Herbert M. Smith for the killing of Lewis Johnson at Nineveh in January, 1921, have cost Chenango county about \$1,000 already, and another argument on the appeal for a new trial, based on technicalities, is to be held this month.

T. L. St. John of Bloomville lost five cows last week and two others are sick, but it is hoped to save them. Dr. Irvine of Delhi and Dr. Harlow of Stamford held an autopsy on one of the cows Friday, but were unsuccessful in determining the cause of death. John VanAlstine, aged 30 years and a resident of Mineral Springs, attempted suicide on Monday of last week by slitting himself in the abdomen with a knife. Dependency over the death of his daughter and the fact that his hearing was becoming impaired are said to have impelled the act. His condition is said to be precarious.

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Pursuant to an order of Shirley L. Huntington, Surrogate of the County of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Henry Baker, deceased, late of the City of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same with vouchers therefor, to the undersigned administrators of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of George L. Bockes, Esq., in the City of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 25th day of August next.

Dated February 16, 1922.  
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## ORDER EASTERN STAR

Hold District Convention in Oneonta, With Five Hundred in Attendance

## DAY OF PRESENTATIONS

Assistant Grand Lecturer Fred S. Williams Presides at Afternoon Session and Mrs. Nan Reid Coy, Deputy Grand Matron at Evening Gathering — Banquet Served at Elks' Home at 6:30 O'clock.

Fully 500 officers and delegates from the 18 chapters of the Order of Eastern Star in the district composed of Otsego and Schoharie counties were in attendance at the annual district convention held at Masonic temple in this city yesterday and it proved one of the most successful in the history of the district. At this gathering the district had the pleasure of entertaining Most Worthy Grand Matron Mrs. Clara S. Heisenbuttle of Buffalo and associate grand chapter officers and it was a notable event in Eastern Star circles. Many of the past grand officers from all over the district were in attendance.

The convention opened shortly after 2 o'clock in Masonic temple and the meeting was in charge of Light Worshipful Assistant Grand Lecturer Fred S. Williams of Cooperstown. Officers were chosen from the different chapters represented in the convention with Mrs. J. S. Lawson of Martha chapter of this city honored by her selection as Matron for the afternoon session.

The convention was honored also by the presence of the grand lecturer, Mrs. Francis Cook, who gave a most inspiring address at the afternoon session upon the work and the ideals of the order which was greatly enjoyed.

At 6:30 o'clock dinner was served at the dining hall of the Elks' home under the direction of Martha chapter, with the Elks' chief in immediate charge. The male members of the chapter officiated at the waters and did admirably. The feast was one of the usual excellence and all partook. Features of the dinner were the presentation of a bouquet to Mrs. Lawson from her friends in Martha chapter.

Owing to the lateness of the hour when the dinner ended the reception tendered the grand officers at the Masonic lodge rooms was quite informal.

At the evening session, which was attended by even a larger number of Eastern Star members, a very pleasing and enjoyable program was rendered after the grand chapter officers had been received and with the honor due their rank. Mrs. Nan Reid Coy, district deputy grand matron, presided and presented the speakers. Mrs. Heisenbuttle, the grand matron, responded happily and was followed by Right Worshipful Mildred V. Everson of New York city and Dr. Julian C. Smith of Oneonta.

Entertainment features included vocal solos by Mrs. Morey of this city and Miss Mildred Paul of Laurens, a piano solo by Mrs. Winifred Charles Sague and readings by Mrs. Wilbur H. Lynch, all of which were rendered in a captivating manner.

Features of the evening were the presentation of a purse of gold to the Grand Matron by the convention, the speech of presentation being given by Mrs. Evelyn Stokely of Delhi. Mrs. Heisenbuttle was the recipient also of a beautiful shower bouquet. Mrs. Nan Reid Coy, the district deputy grand matron, was presented with a basket of pink tulips by the members of Martha chapter, the presentation being made by Mrs. A. A. Reid.

During the evening an orchestra composed of Mr. Lawson, Miss Parks and Mr. Hill rendered numerous selections to the enjoyment of all. The decorations of Masonic hall were elaborate and pleasing and the banquet hall at the Elks' home, where the banquet was served was nicely decorated in pink and green.

Mrs. Heisenbuttle is accompanied by Dr. Miles M. Smith of Binghamton, as grand patron, Joseph H. Hatter of Brooklyn being unable to attend. Other grand chapter officers in attendance included Most Worthy Annie M. Pond of New York, grand secretary and past grand matron, Right Worthy Mildred V. Everson of New York, as her district deputy grand matron, Latta McDowell of Delhi, grand conductress; Right Worthy Mabel Stewart of Albany, grand Electa; Right Worthy Frances J. Crooks of Carthage grand lecturer, and Most Worthy Clara S. Dilworth of Gloversville, past grand matron; Miss M. Lulu Jackson of Binghamton, grand color bearer; Mrs. Elizabeth of New York city, associate grand conductress.

Mrs. Heisenbuttle while in the city was the guest of Mrs. Nan Reid Coy, her district deputy grand matron. The grand officers leave this morning for Binghamton where another district convention is to be held today.

## Rocks Are Very Old.

Calculations of the rate at which radium decays into lead, lead to the estimate that the oldest rocks of which we know anything are more than fifteen hundred millions of years old.

## World Growing Worse?

Dioegenes carried a lantern in his hunt for an honest man, but there are pessimists who insist that he wouldn't have been successful even if he had possessed a searchlight.

## So Different From Her Own.

"I do enjoy those blues with children in 'em," remarked a tired-looking little woman. "When the children romp around on the screen they don't make a particle of noise."

## May Supper at Milford.

Milford, May 21.—The Annual May supper of the Methodist Episcopal church of Milford, will be held Friday, May 26th, from six o'clock until all are served. Price 50c.

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## WEST END BREVITIES

About 55 young people were present at the reception given Tuesday evening at the Plains Methodist church, when the "Blues" were entertained by the "Reds" as a result of the recent contest. Rev. C. C. Volz gave an interesting illustrated lecture, which was followed by a social time with refreshments.

S. A. Shepard of the Plains left yesterday morning for Glenbrook, Conn., where for a week he will be the guest of his son, David Shepard. Illustrated lectures are being held every evening this week at the Elm Park Methodist church and are proving of great interest. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Charles Valentine of 274 Chestnut street is a patient at the Parshall hospital, where she recently underwent an operation performed by Dr. N. W. Getman assisted by Dr. Latcher. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Champlin and daughter, Millicent, accompanied by his mother, Mary E. Dales, moved to Fleischmanns, where they spent the week-end. Mrs. Dales remained for a longer stay with another son, Dr. Elwin Champlin.

Mrs. John Rose is seriously ill at the Fox Memorial hospital, suffering with a complication of diseases. Mrs. Fred Haight has returned to her home at Middlefield Center after visiting her sister, Mrs. S. L. Champlin, for a few days.

Mrs. E. E. Farrell of lower Chestnut street has been removed to the Fox Memorial hospital to undergo treatment.

Gladys Hecox, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hecox of 11 Pearl street, is seriously ill with pneumonia, but her condition yesterday was reported as improved.

## ACTION TO OUST RECTOR.

On Trial at Cortland Before Justice George McCann.

Cortland, May 25.—Trial of the court action brought by Bishop Charles Fiske, bishop coadjutor and ecclesiastical authority in the diocese of Central New York, to oust Rev. Arthur H. Beatty and "the pretended vestrymen of Grace Episcopal church of Cortland," began here this morning before Supreme Court Justice George McCann of Elmira.

Bishop Fiske asks not only that Mr. Beatty be declared no longer rector of Grace church, but also that William Davis be ousted as treasurer, and that several men claiming to have been legally chosen trustees be declared illegally elected and restrained by order of the court from any executive action in connection with affairs of the society.

This is the action in which Justice Kellogg granted an order restraining Rev. Mr. Beatty from performing the duties of rector and Mr. Davis from receiving or disbursing the funds of the church, pending the outcome of the trial.

## Rarick Receives Stiff Sentence.

Harold Rarick, arrested Tuesday night for passing a worthless check on John P. Tansett of the Twentieth Century lunch, received a stiff sentence from Judge Huntington yesterday morning. The young man must pay a \$25 fine, spend 60 days in the Cooperstown jail and make restitution to Mr. Tansett for the \$15 obtained from him through fraud.

## Dairymen's League Meeting May 27.

A special meeting of the Dairymen's league will be held on May 27 at the league office, 170 Main street, to vote on directors for the coming year. It is urgent that every member be present.

## COMMERCIAL PACT SIGNED.

Genoa, May 24.—The commercial treaty between Soviet Russia and Italy was signed in the Royal palace at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will hold a dance Tuesday, May 30th, at Municipal hall, Collier's orchestra. Admission, 50c per couple; extra lady, 35c. Advt 5t.

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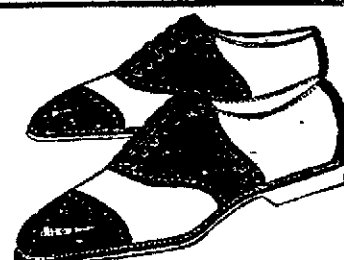
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Dark Brown Leather, with heavy stitch-down soles.

Misses' sizes ..... \$1.25

Infants' sizes ..... 85c

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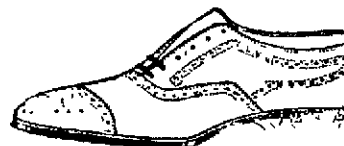
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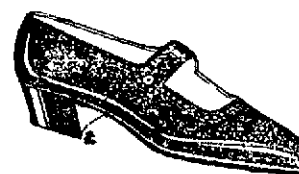
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